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By Mr. Fennell of Lynn, petition of Robert F. Fennell relative to tuition payments for children in foster care. Education.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

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AN ACT RELATIVE TO TUITION PAYMENTS FOR CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

1 SECTION 1. The second paragraph of section 7 of chapter 76  
2 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 1996 Official Edition, is  
3 hereby amended by adding the following sentence:—

4 All school-aged children placed by or under the control of the  
5 department of transitional assistance or the department of social  
6 services under the provisions of sections 7 and 9 of chapter 26,  
7 other than in their home city or town, shall have their tuition reim-  
8 bursed under the provisions of said sections 7 and 9.

1 SECTION 2. Chapter 71 of the acts of 1993 is hereby amended  
2 by striking out section 96, as amended section 268 of chapter 110  
3 of the acts of 1993.